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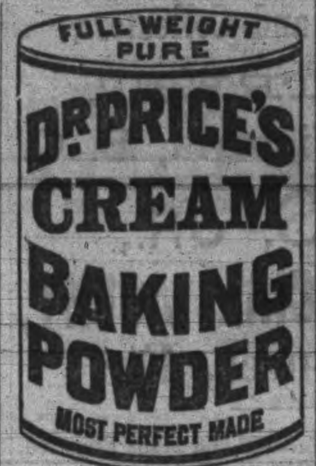

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LOST—Two Humane Society medals, silver and bronze, were lost last year. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at TIMES OFFICE. Ap29-3w

LOST—A collectors' book. The finder will please leave same at TIMES office. ap27.

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TO THE TIMES ONLY.

A Winnipeg Saloonist Disappears—The Late Hamilton Disaster.

A Dominion Steamer Missing—The Subsidy to the S. & O. Finally Passed.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Winnipeg, April 30.—Johnnie McLeod, one of the victims of the High Bluff tragedy, still lives, and was brought to Winnipeg last night. He says his father struck him twice on the head.

McDonald, proprietor of the St. Julien saloon, has disappeared. He leaves many creditors.

No further tidings have been received of Redden, the fugitive Chief of Police of Rat Portage. Constables are in pursuit.

W. Code was appointed chief of the fire brigade, vice McRobie, discharged.

The C. P. R. audit offices close here to-day. Hereafter all business will be transferred to Montreal.

STEAMER MISSING.

Halifax, April 30.—The Dominion steamer Sarnia should have arrived from Portland on Saturday to take on the English mails. She has not yet turned up, although other vessels got in through the fog. There are fears of a disaster.

THE LATE DISASTER.

Hamilton, Ont., April 30.—None of the remains taken from the wreck have been recognized as yet. Hundreds of people visited the morgue to-day, but none of the killed were identified. The killed were all strangers, as no persons from Hamilton or its vicinity have been reported missing yet. The tracks are open to-day and all trains are running on time. The inquest continued this evening. It is thought a broken axle on the engine caused the disaster.

HAMILTON LIQUOR LICENSES.

The license commissioners have notified nineteen tavern and saloon keepers that their licenses would not be renewed. No new licenses will be granted.

SEPARATE LICENSES.

The License Commissioners of Toronto have decided on the complete separation of the liquor from grocery stores, and will insist upon a separate firm as well as separate establishment.

FUNERAL OF A PROMINENT METHODIST.

The funeral of Rev. Richard Jones, for sixty years a minister of the Methodist church at Coburg, occurred on Monday, many prominent divines from a distance attending.

MATRIMONIAL DIFFERENCE.

The action of Mrs. Susanna Brennan, nee Miss Susanna Chaffee, daughter of Dr. Chaffee, Alliston, Ont., against her husband, Joseph Scott Brennan, of M. Brennan & Sons, lumber merchants, Hamilton, for alimony and the custody of their children, on the ground of drunkenness and adultery on the part of the defendant, has commenced in the assize court at Toronto.

THE CAPITAL.

The Subsidy to the S. & O. Railway Passes the House.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, April 30—The Shuswap & Okanagan Railway subsidy of $3200 per mile passed the House of Commons this afternoon with an explanation from Mara and Sir John Macdonald. Sir John stated that the House would likely prorogue on Wednesday. Sir John Thompson's bill for promissory notes exchange bills was withdrawn.

Sir Chas. Tupper arrived from the west to-day.

There is much dissatisfaction over the large number of members who paired on Saturday. In all there were forty pairs, making 80 members. A few more would have paired but the members were out of the House.

THE "AWKWARD" POSITION.

It was Mr. Prior Who Used the Remark.

The *Globe* gives the following report of the debate in the House on Mr. Davies' amendment to the resolution granting a subsidy to the Pacific mail steamers:

The resolution regarding the Japan and China service was taken up. Mr. Davies moved an amendment similar to that of Mr. Laurier, pointing out the absolute lack of any information on the subject. The fact that the House was asked to vote the money under the circumstances, he contended, was alike discreditable to the House and to the Government. He reminded the House that the Finance Minister had stated that the negotiations between the Government and the British authorities had been carried on by the High Commissioner, and he (the Finance Minister) had not a single iota of this correspondence, save one cablegram. This statement led to a lively tilt between Mr. Foster and Mr. Davies. It was evident the Minister felt very much aggrieved and correspondingly angry, but nothing suits Mr. Davies better than to have his opponent grow angry. He clearly pinned the Minister down to his statement, as shown in Hansard. He got decidedly the best of the argument and made Mr. Foster take his seat for the time. He referred to the statement by Mr. Prior that it was absolutely essential that the steamships should call at Victoria and this had not been contradicted. If this could not be shown to be a mistake, it must in the meantime be accepted. He moved a resolution to the effect that the House should not be asked to agree to the scheme until the correspondence on the matter had been brought down, and also that with the information before it the House was of opinion that the steamer ought to call either at Victoria or Esquimalt.

Mr. Foster attempted to reply, in which he proved most conclusively that he has not yet grasped the first principles upon which representative institutions are based. He sought to show, but unsuccessfully, that he had only said that the Masseys had worked up a trade in Australia of $300,000, and also that he had not attempted to keep back any correspondence in his possession. But he seemed honestly surprised that this should not be wholly satisfactory to everybody, and as if to show the utter absurdity of the Opposition's contentions, he went on to say that the British Government was giving £45,000 toward this contract, that Government would, of course, see that the steamers and the service were all right. It did not seem to occur to him for one moment that any such trifle as Canadian interests need concern for an instant the representatives of the Canadian people.

Mr. Laurier pointed out the conclusions to which Mr. Foster's speech led; pointed out that all that was asked was more information, and commended Mr. Foster's assumption that no information need be given to the Government followers. Mr. Foster, having said on Mr. Massey's authority that some of the Australian shipments were made from his European depots, Mr. Patterson took occasion to show that all the exports of agricultural implements to all foreign countries last year only amounted to $150,000, a bare half of what Mr. Foster had said were shipped by one firm to Australia alone.

Mr. Mara, of British Columbia, spoke in an apologetic way about having to stand by the Government as against Victoria, the capital of this Province. Mr. Prior, who represents Victoria, felt himself in a very awkward position and said so. He would like to have the resolution divided. In fact he did not want any more information himself, nor did he think anybody else needed any, but he did not want the steamships to pass Victoria.

Sir John Thompson made a little speech, which in fine reasoning and utter disregard of the main issue was thoroughly characteristic. Mr. Mills recalled that main question to the attention of the House in a vigorous speech. Mr. Mitchell grumblingly consented to vote for the Government's scheme, but protested against the lack of information.

Mr. Davies' amendment was lost on division, and the resolution was carried.

SALISBURY AT BRISTOL.

The Conservative Leader Tells of the Government.

London, April 27.—Lord Salisbury, in his address at Bristol, spoke of the growth of the Primrose League, which, he said, was marvellous. The League, he declared, was of transcendental value in the solution of any current political question, as it was a noble instrument with which to blend the classes and the masses. He hoped that ere long the Government would settle the troubles which were menacing the internal peace of the nation. The Government was confronted with a combination of political opposition, with predatory greed which no government had ever faced and required the confidence of the country to enable it to overcome this combination. Continuing Lord Salisbury ridiculed the agitation in favor of home rule in Ireland. He declared that the county of Cornwall by its distinct radical origin, its language, its traditions and its history had as much claim for a separate parliament as Ireland. The nationality argument was insincere. It was more fruitful of sophistry and claptrap and more barren of solid sense than anything that was ever before the country. It would sacrifice the first interests of industry and commerce to a mere sentiment. The Unionists were confronted with two phalanxes, the one political, the other criminal, both converging to a common end and that is to make the execution of the law in Ireland impossible. It was a miserable spectacle to see members of Parliament standing up to defend embezzlement and fraud. The Unionists, conscious of their high calling, ought not to allow personal considerations to enter into electoral questions. They should not poach on each others grounds, but should combine in support of the man most likely to win.

Lord Salisbury said that the Government had not added to the cost of defence without reflection. In the event of a variance with European countries an enemy might come from the coast line between Schleswig and France. It was a grave thing for any man to propose to add the coast line of Ireland to England's responsibility of defence by giving Ireland independence.

INTERIOR NEWS.

Mining Notes and Personal Items From Donald Truth.

Sheriff Redgrave is laid up with a severe cold.

The Kootenay Mail Line steamer Marion, with Capt. Armstrong in the pilothouse, is making trips on the Columbia southward from Golden.

John T. Fee, who represents the largest dry-goods house on the Pacific coast, was in Donald. Mr. Fee also manages British Columbia's champion ball tossers—the Amities of Victoria.

Revelstoke is the most peaceable hamlet in British Columbia. As proof, constable Jack Kirkup is doing his own gardening.

"Bob" Philips and Sam McCartney returned on Monday from a three months' trip to the East. They both look as if the jaunt agreed with them. Of the places they visited, none appeared to better advantage than Helena and Great Falls, two Montana towns.

Among Revelstoke recent arrivals are a number of young maids who are enthusiastic workers in the cause of temperance. They, not knowing that they are violating the climatic conditions of the western division of Kootenay district, are about to start an organization to be called the Revelstoke Band of Hope. Poor, enthusiastic girls.

J. W. Haskins came up on the Dispatch from the Arrow Lake mining camp where he has a force of men at work on the Silver King, Monarch, and Gloucester claims. He brought with him some good looking specimens of silver ore, which are on exhibition at Hume's store.

Fred Hume, who has returned from a trip to the Toad Mountain districts, reports that there is every prospect for a rush of business in that section this summer, but that it will be chiefly done by Americans. The main reason he gives for this is, that there is no way to get into the mines from the Columbia river route but by a pack trail, while by the Kootenay river route a good wagon road has been built. Mr. Hume has purchased R. E. Lemon's interest in the store at Nelson, and will hereafter run the business alone.

N. Sicotte, the well known caterer, is establishing a summer resort at the lake, three miles northeast of Donald. He has put on boats, and will build a restaurant and make other needed improvements. While Mr. Sicotte does not expect to make his lake resort a rival of the hot springs at Banff, he hopes to draw considerable tourist trade. One of the attractions that he proposes to advertise extensively is the peculiar fish with which the lake is filled. They are described as being little beauties about the size of sardines, but, unlike other mountain fish, are entirely covered with long yellow hair of silken fineness. At night the waters of the lake appear to be lighted up with numberless incandescent electric lights, caused by the action of the water on the hair of the little fish. The season will open about May 15.]

CHRISTIAN UNITY.

Close of an Important Church Conference—Another Meeting.

Toronto, April 29.—The conference of the ministers of the Anglican, Presbyterian and Methodist churches, which met here during the last two days to consider the organization of all Protestant bodies, closed this evening. The sessions were of the most interesting character, the representatives of the churches declaring that they will result in great good to the whole Christian church. The utmost harmony prevailed, though doctrines were discussed upon which all are not in unison. The subjects before the conference were: First, organic union; second, the amount of unity in doctrine, worship and modes of action between the three bodies; third, the Holy Scripture; fourth, the creeds; fifth, the historic episcopal. The Bishop of Huron, Provost Boddy, of Trinity College, Dr. Carey, Port Perry, and Dean Carmichael, Montreal, took a leading part in the discussion. A resolution was carried recommending to the several churches the appointment of delegates to another conference to be held next year.

The Catholic congress at Madrid has passed a resolution demanding the restoration of the temporal power of the Holy See.

A HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

The Centennial of Washington's Inauguration—A Great Demonstration.

Whittier's Poem, "The Vow of Washington"—A Nation's Rejoicing.

By Postal Telegraph.]

New York, April 30.—Long before 9, the hour appointed for special service of thanksgiving at St. Paul's church, Broadway streets and vicinity were filled to overflowing by sight-seers, eager to gain a glimpse of the presidential party, as they came to attend the services and open the second day's celebration of the centennial in the various churches throughout the city. Pursuant to the President's proclamation, services were held at the same time. At about 8, carriages provided by the committee drew up at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. Chief Justice Fuller, members of the Cabinet and invited guests entered them and were driven to 85 5th Ave., the residence of Vice-President Morton, where Harrison is. Here the President and Vice-President were escorted by the committee to carriages, and then, preceded by a platoon of police, the procession started for St. Paul's church. Before it reached the church a crowd surrounded the Vesey street entrance, and increased to such proportions that the police with difficulty cleared the way for the carriages. The President was met by a committee of the vestry at Trinity church and escorted to the west porch, where the rector and full vestry of St. Paul's received him. The President was then escorted to Washington's pew, which he and the cabinet occupied. The church was crowded with distinguished Americans. After the processional hymn and Lord's prayer were repeated, the choir sang Psalm 85, followed by the usual services. Special prayers of thanksgiving used in all the Episcopal churches throughout the country followed. Bishop Potter, of New York, then delivered the following address, and the services were concluded with the Recessional hymn.

The presidential party then proceeded to the sub-treasury, Wall street, where literary exercises were held. The front of the sub-treasury building was a sea of heads, and all about the spot from Broadway to William street, as far as one could see down Broad street eager thronging humanity was packed. Before the President arrived, the 22nd regiment band, under the leadership of Gilmore, gave a concert. The President arrived from St. Pauls shortly after ten, the procession having passed through a wild ovation. Every available space along the route was occupied by men, women and children, welcoming the party in one continuous hurrah. At the corner of Wall street the band played "Hail to the Chief." The President and Cabinet were escorted to their seats on the already crowded platform. When all were seated, chairman Gerry addressed the assemblage as follows: "Fellow citizens, a hundred years ago on this spot, George Washington, first President of the United States, took the oath of office upon the holy Bible, that sacred volume here silently attesting the dependence of our people upon Almighty God. In the words then, of one of the founders of the government, with hearts overflowing with gratitude to our Sovereign benefactor for granting to us existence, for continuing it to the present period, and for accumulating on us blessings, spiritual and temporal, through life, may we with fervour beseech Him so to continue them as best to promote His glory and our welfare." Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs then prayed. A poem by Whittier followed. Chauncey M. Depew then delivered the oration he had written for the occasion. The President next made a short address. His reception was most enthusiastic. Then the benediction was pronounced by Archbishop Corrigan. These concluded the literary exercises, and the presidential party, including ex-President Cleveland, were driven up Broadway to the reviewing stand on Madison Square.

At an early hour troops of soldiers, veterans and militia men from all over the country, in vast numbers began to arrive at the various rendezvous. All the troops with the exception of the grand army were stationed where they entered Broadway, below pine street. The route of the procession was so lined with people that passage along the streets was impossible. Everything was in readiness for the start at 10, and as the presidential party passed out of Wall street on to Broadway the great parade began. The weather was clear and cool.

After President Harrison's speech, which occupied but five minutes in the delivery, the most impressive feature of the whole day occurred. The presidential party drove over the route of the procession to the reviewing stand in Madison square, between two lines of troops drawn up at either curb of the street. The President's carriage was drawn by four horses in silver harness. It had two footmen. The other carriages were drawn by two horses. When Archbishop Corrigan had pronounced the benediction at the sub-treasury, the word was given to some marshall's aides, who were in waiting, and they passed along the line, giving the order to each officer to halt his company. In this manner the whole procession halted from Wall street to the head of the line up town. Then, at the order of the officers, the troops below Duane street divided, part forming a continuous line on the western curb of Broadway and part forming a line on the eastern curb. Then between these living walls the President and party were driven up Broadway to Waverly Place, through Waverly Place to 5th avenue, up 5th avenue, up 14th street, through East 14th to east side of Union Square, along the Square to 15th street, through 15th street to 5th avenue, and up 5th avenue to Madison Square. As the President's carriage passed along through the lines the soldiers saluted and the crowds on the sidewalks, in the windows and on the house tops cheered themselves hoarse. After the party passed, each regiment and division fell in line again and resumed their former ranks and waited for the word to proceed, which was not given until the President had reached Madison Square. The President was received by a committee of the army and escorted to his seat on the grand stand. Order was then given to resume march, and soon the column came in sight. As it approached the Square, coming up 5th avenue it presented a fine appearance as it passed the reviewing stand. This was undoubtedly the best point from which to observe the marching column, though the sight presented by the troops rounding the turn into Union Square was magnificent and by far the prettiest scene on the route. The President did not attempt to stand during the whole of the time the regiments passed in review, but at times he stood in front of the stand, supported on either side by members of the Committee of the Army, Governor Hill and Mayor Grant also one on each side of him. Bands of music were distributed profusely throughout the parade and each band played its most stirring and brilliant music as it passed the stand of the chief magistrate. After passing, the review lines closed up a little so that no break or halt would occur at reviewing stand. One of the chief attractions of the parade was the 7th New York regiment. The ladies along the route gave the 7th regiment a rousing welcome which must have cheered the boys. The parade was not over until late in the afternoon. The 22nd regiment also received a large amount of attention, especially from the ladies. Outside of these favorites, perhaps the sailors in in their blue suits with white leggings captured the greatest applause. Some of these tars are just home from long voyages and the fact was undoubtedly remembered as they trudged along, eliciting thundrous applause. After the last detachment passed the reviewing stand, the President was taken in charge by the committee of management and escorted back by Fifth avenue to the residence of Vice-President Morton. It was the greatest parade in point of magnificence that New York has ever seen.

"THE VOW OF WASHINGTON."

BY JOHN GREENLEAF WHITTIER.

[Read in New York, April 30th, 1889, at the Centennial celebration of the inauguration of George Washington as the first President of the United States.]

The sword was sheathed; in April's sun
Lay green the fields by freedom won;
And severed sections, weary of debates,
Joined hands at last and were United States.

O! city sitting by the sea!
How proud the day that dawned on thee,
When the new era, long desired, began,
And, in its need, the hour had found the man.

One thought the cannon salvos spoke,
The resonant bell towers vibrant stroke,
The voiceful streets, the plaudit echoing halls;
And prayer and hymn borne homeward from St. Paul's.

How felt the land in every part,
The strong throb of a nation's heart,
As its great leader gave, with reverent awe,
His pledge to union, liberty and law.

That pledge the Heavens above him heard,
That vow the sleep of centuries stirred;
In world-wide wonder listening people bent,
Their gaze on freedom's great experiment.

Could it succeed? of honor sold
And hopes deceived, all history told
Above the wrecks that strewed the mournful past,
Was the long dream of ages true at last?

Thank God, the people's choice was just,
The one man equal to his trust,
Wise beyond lore, and without weakness good;
Calm in the strength of flawless rectitude.

His rule of justice, order, peace,
Made possible the world's release;
Taught princes and serf that power is but a trust,
And rule, alone, which serves the ruled, is just.

That freedom generous is but strong
In hate of fraud and selfish wrong,
Pretense that turns her holy truths to lies,
And lawless license masking in her guise.

Land of his love, with one glad voice,
Let the great sisterhood rejoice;
A century's suns o'er thee have risen and set,
And, God be praised, we are a nation yet.

And still, we trust, the years to be
Shall prove his hope was destiny,
Leaving our flag with all its added stars,
Unrent by faction and unstained by wars.

Lo! Where with patient toil he nursed
And trained the new-set plant at first,
The widening branches of a stately tree
Stretch from the sunrise to the sunset sea.

And, in its broad and sheltered shade,
Sitting with none to make afraid,
Were we now silent, through each mighty limb,
The winds of heavens would sing the praise of him.

Our first and best, his ashes lie
Beneath his own Virginian sky.
Forgive, forget, O! true and just and brave,
The storm that swept above thy sacred grave.

For, ever in the awful strife
And dark hours of the nation's life,
Through the fierce tumult pierced his warning word,
Their father's voice his erring children heard.

The change for which he prayed and sought,
In that sharp agony was wrought;
No partial interest draws its alien line
'Twixt north and south, the cypress and the pine.

One people now, all doubts beyond,
His name shall be our union bond;
We lift our hands to Heaven, and here and now,
Take on our lips the old centennial vow.

For rule and trust must needs be ours;
Chooser and chosen both are powers
Equal in service as in right's claim
Of duty rests on each and all the same.

Then let the sovereign millions, where
Our banner floats in sun and air,
From the warm palm lands to Alaska's cold
Repeat with us the pledge a century old.

HONOR TO THE FIRST PRESIDENT.

San Francisco, April 30.—Despite the cloudy weather, San Francisco turned itself out of doors at an early hour this morning to do honor to the memory of the country's first president. Toward 11 o'clock the parade commenced to move, the sidewalks along the line of march, housetops and all available points, were packed with people. The parade was one of the finest ever witnessed here and was made up of over ten thousand men.

FROM OKLAHOMA.

Washington, April 29.—Acting Secretary of the Interior Chandler, to-day received a dispatch from the special inspector at Oklahoma reporting all quiet. The inspector described all settlers as lawful and well pleased with Secretary Noble's promise that the scheme of the deputy marshals, as land grabbers, shall not be allowed to succeed.

LONSDALE DEPARTS.

San Francisco, April 30.—The Earl of Lonsdale, who arrived in this city a few days ago from the Arctic regions, left last evening for Winnipeg. After picking up the guns and baggage left by him at that point, he will proceed to New York, where he will be joined by Lady Lonsdale when they will both at once sail for England.

CHAIRMAN BARNUM.

New Haven, Conn., April 30.—Hon. Wm. H. Barnum, chairman of the National Committee, died at Limerock this morning.

BELONGED TO A SUICIDE CLUB.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 29.—The suicide Monday of John Kiewsery, a wealthy German, has served to bring to light the fact that there existed several years ago a secret organization known as the "Suicide Club." Four of its six members have suicided.

ARCHBISHOP GROSS GOING TO ROME.

Portland, April 29.—Archbishop Gross, head of the Catholic Church of Oregon, will leave Sunday night for Rome, to confer with Pope Leo on church business. He will be tendered a reception at St. Louis on his way east. He will return in November.

The boiler of a steam dredging boat exploded in Calais harbor yesterday, killing seven men and injuring a number of others. The killed and several of the injured were horribly mutilated.

General Boulanger remained quiet yesterday. He took a short drive this afternoon, and in the evening dined at his hotel with his fellow exiles. Boulanger has taken a house in Portland Place.

FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Banquet to the Attorney General—Boulanger's Position in London.

The Queen's Journey to Sandringham—The Precautions Taken.

By Postal Telegraph.]

New York, April 30.—Edmund Yates' London cable to the *Tribune* says: Over 400 solicitors have accepted invitations to the Attorney General's banquet on the 29th, and over 40,000 have signed a complimentary address. The precise hour of dinner will be fixed in the course of a few hours.

Most of the published accounts of the sayings and doings of General Boulanger are partially if not wholly apocryphal. He is far too able a man not to understand the manifest advantage of a prudent reserve. Leo hunters of both sexes are likely to experience bitter disappointment if they count on him during the coming season as a *piece de resistance* for their programmes. The ex-French Minister of War has no intention of playing *bœuffe gras* for the benefit of London hostesses. The numerous invitations which he has received have, with one or two exceptions been met with most courteous refusals. Friday evening he dined with Lord Randolph Churchill, whose acquaintance he made some months ago in Paris and at Connaught place. He met Sir Rivers Milton whom he has known for a long time, and three or four English officers. With these exceptions he has remained quietly at the Bristol, from which he migrates either to-day or to-morrow to 81 Portland Place, having rented Mr. Ellis' house close to the Chinese legation, for six months. The narrative of his proposal for the Pelican Club and a dozen other similar stories are pure fables. General Boulanger may be pardoned if he does not regard their concoction, however amusing they may appear to the inventors, quite in accordance with all that he has heard of our traditional hospitality.

It is said the Queen is very much annoyed at having to postpone her journey to Sandringham, from Monday to the next day, but the railway companies over whose lines she was to travel made a formal protest and put forth the difficulties they would have of ensuring the safety of the Queen's train on such a day, to say nothing of the great inconvenience and loss which must be caused by the dislocation of their traffic. It seems to the uninitiated that the Queen's journey need not necessarily be such a complicated affair, but practically it suspends all traffic on all up and down lines for half an hour before and after the Queen's train passes. No train will run on the other line for fear of an accident blocking the line on which the Queen is travelling. A pilot engine runs before the train and men are stationed at intervals of half a mile while it is passing. Thus it is possible to how impossible it would be to carry out ordinary Easter Monday traffic under such circumstances.

CARL ROSA DEAD.

London, April 30.—Carl Rosa, the famous opera singer, died to-day of peritonitis. Augustus Harvey, manager of Convent Garden, was present when Rosa died.

AGAIN IN HOT WATER.

London, April 29.—Henri Rochefort's old time facility for getting himself into hot water is in no wise impaired by his years. M. Pilotell, the French artist residing in London, whose carricature of General Boulanger was insultingly criticised by Rochefort about two months ago, threatens to thrash him at first appearance. Pilotell challenged Rochefort at the time to fight a duel, but the latter still more insultingly decided not to meet him. Several officers of the Guards, too, are on the alert to catch Rochefort and physically resent his insults to the army and the Queen. Upon being informed of his son's suicide M. Rochefort wept and afterwards sank upon his knees and prayed. He has taken a house in London for six months. His horses and carriages have already arrived.

THE SAMOAN CONFERENCE.

Berlin, April 29.—In the Samoan Conference to-day, Count Herbert Bismarck, speaking in French, disavowed on behalf of Germany, any idea of aggrandisement inconsistent with existing treaties. Sir Edward Malet and Mr. Kasson followed in a similar strain, hinting that it was the hope of America that the differences would be settled on a basis which would preserve the autonomy of the Islands. Upon proposal of Mr. Kasson, it was agreed to conduct the proceedings of the conference in English. Count Bismarck has issued invitations to the members of the conference to dine with him on Friday. The Emperor received a personal sonal report of to-day's sittings, but at the next sitting he will receive the report of a sub-committee. All of the delegates appeared to be satisfied with to-day's proceedings.

PARNELL EXAMINED.

London, April 30.—The Parnell commission was resumed this morning. Parnell was examined as to his father's position and his own early life and entry into politics and a history of the League. In securing the testimony, Parnell denied all important points in Lecaron's testimony.

THEIR STRONG SUIT.

Berlin, April 30.—The Samoan commissioners from the United States have been invited to dine with Count Herbert Bismarck on Friday next.

SCENE IN THE COMMONS.

Caron Told He Could Not Manœuvre a Battalion of Barnyard Fowls.

Ottawa, April 29.—The feeling among government supporters against Caron as minister of militia was shown last night by Clark Wallace and Gimon going the extreme length of voting against the government on a straight want of confidence motion. Col. Denison, the hero of the Nile, said he would have voted against Caron also if the York-Simcoe battalion claim had not been settled as it was, by the surrender of the minister. Caron's reply to Mulock's three hour attack was spirited, eloquent and plucky, no matter what may be said to the contrary. Mulock's biting irony and sarcastic taunts had worked up the descendant of viceregal ancestry, who was told he "could not manœuvre a battalion of barnyard fowls." Caron, in reply, related how he had served under the great De Salaberry in the golden days, which were bright with glory. He told Mulock the pride of the English House of Commons was that it was a club of gentlemen, and judged by that standard, Mulock had no title to sit in that House. He told him he had been rude and even insolent, but outside, where the privileges of the House did not protect him, he curbed his insolence. Mulock sat under this hot fire biting his lips and looking daggers at the head of the War department. But he had had his innings. He had told Caron that he was unfit to remain at the head of the department, that all the Ontario volunteers thought so, and that while they were subjected to hardships Caron grew fat at Ottawa on a big salary. The House enjoyed hugely the duel between the two, and although Caron is by long odds the most unpopular member in the cabinet, he is not to be despised for lack of courage in debate.

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LABOR COMMISSION.

The report of the Labor Commission affords interesting reading, inasmuch as between the majority and minority reports there is considerable divergence of opinion. The minority report explains that strikes and lockouts are most expensive and irritating means of settling disputes, and adds that "arbitration, conciliation, and the settlement of minor differences have proved successful in other countries, and it cannot be doubted that they would be a great advantage to workingmen and to employers of labor in Canada." The report proceeds to say that workmen respond too often to the exaggerated and unjust pretensions of employers by other demands no less unjust; and that if there were a court to which differences could be referred, the fomenters of disturbances and the employers who want a lockout because their stock is too large would lose their malign influence.

The majority report, which is signed by the bona fide labor representatives, practically denies that strikes are the result of unjust demands or of the labors of fomentors of disturbances. It declares that nearly all the trades organizations have clauses in their constitutions providing that all possible efforts be made to reach an amicable settlement before a strike takes place. In many cases a strike must be carried by more than a majority vote, and in several bodies it is provided that every member voting on the question of a strike must have been for a certain number of months in good standing in the organization. In advocating arbitration or conciliation this report lays down a practical plan of operation. It suggests that there should be, in connection with the Bureau of Labor Statistics shortly to be established by the Dominion Government, a permanent Board of Arbitration, this board to consist of three members, one of whom shall be a member in good standing of a labor organization. When a labor dispute is pending, or is in contemplation, a member of the board should proceed to the scene of the disturbance, place himself in communication with both parties to the dispute, and offer his services as a mediator. In case he should be unable to bring about a settlement, he should obtain a reference of the question at issue to a local board of arbitration, or to the permanent board of arbitration of which he is a member.

In the foregoing we have what labor proposes to do, and now it remains to be seen what capital will do in the matter. It is to be hoped that capital will step down off its high horse and meet labor half way in its pacific desire to settle differences arising from wages. It is in fact almost imperative that it should do so. Capital should not be crushed but it is equally true that labor must be nourished. With equitable relations existing between Capital and labor the perpetuity of free institutions is assured. Full stomachs are the best guarantees of the stability of governments.

AN EQUIVOCAL POSITION.

The trend of events has necessarily brought the Colonist and THE TIMES in conjunction, with this distinction, that while the latter boldly mentions names the former mentions nobody. In respect to the Colonist's sparse use of names, we are unable to attribute it to any true delicacy of feeling. It originates wholly in the dual role the Colonist is playing. On the one hand the interests of Victoria in particular, and the Province in general, demand that it shall condemn the actions of the British Columbia contingent at Ottawa, and on the other hand this same contingent being political affinities of the Colonist demand of it, that if they must be hammered it be done inferentially. We allude to the Colonist's tender regard for the susceptibilities of Sir John's British Columbia supporters, not because the subject cannot be discussed without mentioning names, but because the Colonist, on occasions, is not at all squeamish of using names with uncompromising distinctness. When the Colonist has anything to say on municipal matters it has no difficulty in spelling out the name of JOHN GRANT. When, however, it must, of necessity, call the actions of its political affinities into question proper nouns play no part in its vocabulary. This is a strange species of tenderness, a tenderness which discloses an amount of bias, which no amount of attempted philosophical discussion can conceal. Consistency is not a jewel with the Colonist. When we consider the position of the Colonist, a position as awkwardly situated as the one in which the unsophisticated Mr. MARA found himself, we ought in charity to pass the thing over in silence, and unquestionably we should have done so but for the Colonist's impudent request last Sunday morning that the TIMES dump its "pet phrases into the waste basket." This request, in the light of the Colonist's invidious use of proper nouns was asking a little too much. It was a demand for literary reciprocity which the circumstances of the case do not warrant. It was an insidious request for the TIMES to adopt the species of ponderous editorial verbosity peculiar to its morning contemporary. Shall we take the trouble to say that we cannot comply with our contemporary's request to compete with it as a soporific? Our mission is to keep people awake. We have learned from experience that genteel discussion has no effect on the brazen cheek of the average politician; that they regard temperate criticism of their actions as the effect of fear and the mouthings of weakness. These considerations forbid us from making the waste-basket the receptacle of our pet phrases and becoming the vendor of editorial soothing syrup. If our contemporary chooses to play the role of Mother Winslow to recreant politicians it may do so; the TIMES, however, will continue to lay their actions bare to the world in language which people can understand, and it will continue also to point out the inconsistencies of the Colonist in plain English. When the Colonist has so far succeeded in ridding itself of bias in municipal matters that it can discuss Mayor GRANT as temperately as it can discuss the British Columbia contingent at Ottawa, THE TIMES will then consider the propriety of accepting its contemporary's advice.

WASHINGTON'S INAUGURATION.

In the language of an English panygerist of Washington: "Although it was the defeat of our arms and the disgrace of our policy, I almost bless the convulsion in which he had his origin," we have a sentiment to which all Englishmen practically subscribe. It opened the way to liberty, and made possible the expansion of the English people after a manner exceeding the wildest dreams of imagination. But what takes away the sting of defeat and the disgrace of policy, is the fact, that the rebels, as the Americans at that time were called, were Englishmen themselves. England can take the sweet unction to her heart that her arms have never been worsted, nor her policy disgraced except by her own children, besides it should be borne in mind that if the Americans boast of having "licked the English," it is because they felt that they were opposed to men hitherto invincible. In the American boast of Bunker Hill and New Orleans, he pays unconscious tribute to British valor. There is a limit to what flesh and blood can endure, and it is a singular fact that most British defeats have added lustre to their arms. So, on the whole, considering the political benefits which accrued to the world by the independence of the thirteen colonies, and the fact that if Britain was worsted in the struggle it was all in the family, let us in our hearts join with the Americans in celebrating the centennial anniversary of Washington as President of the United States.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

DE LESSEPS' health has received a tremendous shock, and a Paris correspondent says he passes all his time in weeping.

JAMES BERRY, England's famous hangman, is a man who believes that his position entitles him to social distinction. His visiting card is of pale mauve, highly glazed, fringed at the sides and tops with a delicate spray of maiden hair fern in gold, and bearing the inscription in gilt old English letter: "James Berry, Public Executioner, Bradford. Orders punctually executed."

Prof. Huxley strikes a strong chord of truth that is in perfect harmony with reason, when he says: "I verily believe that the great good which has been effected in the world by Christianity has been largely counteracted by the persistent doctrine on which all churches have insisted that honest disbelief in their more or less astonishing creeds, is a moral offense, indeed a sin of the deepest dye, deserving and involving the same retribution as murder and robbery." Intolerance produces evil results and honest opinions count for nothing, so that, as he adds, "The torrents of hypocrisy and cruelty, the lies, the slaughter, the violation of every obligation of humanity which have flowed from that source along the source of history of Christian nations, the worst imaginations of hell would pale before the vision." It is very strongly put, but is it not really so?

A poor, sensitive, sad-hearted youth of New York, who "could not support his mother as he wished" and pay a first-class tailor on his salary, dressed himself in an evening suit, so that no reproach might attach to his fastidious taste while lying at the morgue and drowned himself in Central Park reservoir a day or two ago. It is unwise to grieve over the exit of such a delicately sensitive soul as this from scenes wherein bread and butter must share the salary of a dry goods clerk with the swallow tail and other habiliments of full dress for himself, and "style" for his mother. The sooner that such faint hearted creature goes to the place where clothing is not required the better. As to the mother, the "style" of a lodging house keeper, a chambermaid or some other honest vocation is left open to her and she has not the additional care of seeing her poor boy suffer.

So soon as STANLEY emerged from Africa after his finding of LIVINGSTONE, the newspapers went largely into biography, describing him as the son of poor but honest parents. He was accused, besides, of disowning his mother, and, indeed, all that was lacking to complete his infamy was the declaration that at some period of his career he had ran away with somebody's wife. Now that STANLEY has again come to the surface from his African explorations, paragraphic biographical sketches of him are again coming in vogue, and we discover that his real name is JOHN HOWLANDS, that he was born in Wales, near the little town of Denbigh, and that his parents were so poor that he was sent, at the age of three, to the poor-house at St. Asaph. Further, he shipped from Liverpool as a cabin boy when he was fourteen, and reached New Orleans, where he was adopted by a merchant named STANLEY, who gave him his name. Somebody ought to come to the front and give us STANLEY'S true pedigree.

If we must compete with the Chinese, as seems probable from the way things are shaping themselves, it is essential that we should learn how to economise, and particularly in the matter of diet. The Chinese eat anything that comes along. If they cannot afford sound meat they will eat meat that is unsound. Says the San Francisco News Letter: "Certain disturbances of the human organization, due to eating diseased meat, are well recognized among the people, but it is considered better to eat the meat, the cheapness of which is certain, and run the risk of the consequences, which are not quite certain, than to buy dear meat even with the assurance of no evil results. Indeed the meat of animals which have died of ordinary ailments, is rather dearer than that of those which have died in an epidemic such as pleuro-pneumonia." Such economy as this leaves Mr. Squeers, of Dotheboys Hall fame, completely in the shade, and indeed we have only to go one step farther to make ghoulishness possible. The world is full of contradictions, but as the Chinese are as amenable to the laws of digestion and assimilation as other people it is difficult to understand how they can trifle with the deadly bacilli of diseased meat with impunity. It is presumptuous to differ from the medicos as to what is healthful diet and what is not; nevertheless we are bound to say, if experience is worth anything that this bacillus business has the appearance of being a good deal of a humbug. Of course we are aware that cleanliness of habit is a condition precedent to good health; but will the doctors explain how the Chinese can ignore this law. The fact of the matter seems to be that mankind can adapt itself to the most irrational conditions, and it requires a no very great strain on credulity to believe that ghoulishness instead of being a product of a fancy, like most all fanciful things, was originally founded on fact.

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JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant to take possession of the real estate and to receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.
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CHAPTER XXII.

A REASONABLE OBJECTION.

It was not more than half an hour after this that Mr. Earle returned from his club, and entered the little room where his daughter and Beautiful Jim were sitting.

And who his daughter's visitor was, Mr. Earle had not the very smallest idea, until she introduced him by name.

"And Mr. Beresford has waited to see you, dear father," she said; "he wants to ask you something, so I will leave you a few minutes before lunch."

This implied that her father was to invite the visitor to join them at that meal, a hint that was not lost upon him.

"Well, Mr. Beresford," he said, as the door closed behind Nancy's retiring form, "you wanted to ask me something?"

He settled himself with his back to the fire with the air of a man who was accustomed to be asked favors and had no objection to granting them in a pompous sort of way. Evidently he had no suspicion of the nature of Jim's request, and indeed his daughter had given him so little trouble in that way that it was hardly likely that he should know just what was coming, as he would undoubtedly have done had he been an aristocratic old lady instead of being an aristocratic old gentleman.

"You wanted to ask me something?" he repeated, blandly.

"Yes, sir, I did," said Jim. "It is for your consent to my engagement to your daughter."

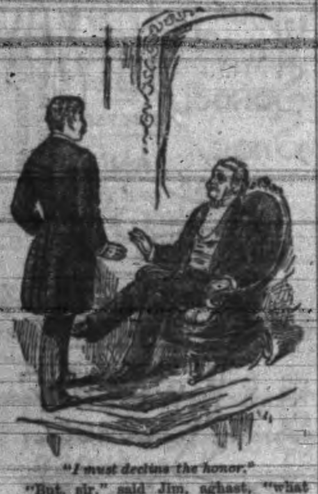
"To my daughter!" Mr. Earle echoed, looking as he felt, simply thunder struck.

"Yes, sir, I met her frequently during the time she was staying at the Deanery at Blankhampton, and I should have come up to see you about it then, only I felt it was a little hurried—a little premature. Besides, I was not by any means sure that Miss Earle would be inclined to listen to me—and I intended to be in town during the autumn, and thought I might see more of her then. I was in town, but you and she were abroad, sir, and I could not get foreign leave, so I had simply no choice but to await your return."

"And you have spoken to my daughter?" the old man asked, stiffly.

"This morning, sir," Beautiful Jim replied.

"Mr. Beresford," said Mr. Earle, speaking in the most formal tones possible, "I am very sensible of the compliment you have paid my daughter in wishing to marry her, but in her name and my own I must decline the honor."



"I must decline the honor."

"But, sir," said Jim, aghast, "what reason have you for this? My family is irreproachable—I am the eldest son, or rather the head of my house. My income is between three and four thousand a year, and I don't owe a farthing in the world, not even a tailor's bill."

Mr. Earle waved his hand impatiently and yet with a lofty air.

"It is not a question of family, or yet of income," he said.

"Then, sir, what is it?" Jim cried, in infinite distress. "Not my character, I hope, for as to that my commanding officer will speak for me, and I have been eight years in his regiment, so he ought to know."

"Mr. Beresford," said the old man, gravely, "it is very painful for me to have to speak with greater plainness; will it not be best for us to consider the conversation at an end and your proposal declined?"

"I would rather hear your reasons for declining it plainly, sir," said Jim, with admirable coolness.

"Is that so?" asked Mr. Earle.

"Yes, sir," returned Jim, "that is so."

"Then I must speak out," said the old man, with a sort of groan. He hated everything unpleasant, and made a rule of shirking all disagreeables whenever possible. "Well, Mr. Beresford, I must tell you frankly that if you had come to me last autumn and asked for my daughter, I should, if my daughter had been willing, have considered yourself, your family and your income a perfectly desirable and suitable match for her; but since that time a great deal has happened. You, for instance, have been arrested since then on a suspicion of murder."

Jim fairly staggered back as the words passed the old man's lips.

"Mr. Earle," he said, hoarsely, "you don't—you surely can't believe that I committed that foul crime?"

"If I believed it," Mr. Earle answered, "I should have asked you to go out of my house some minutes ago. Yet there is the fact—you were arrested on suspicion, and a verdict of willful murder against some person or persons unknown is returned. Do you not see that until the case is set at rest one way or the other, you are not, and never can be, free from suspicion? At any time it is liable to rise up against you, not a mere suspicion, but a hideous danger which may overwhelm you! Do you think, Mr. Beresford, that I could or would let my young daughter go headlong into such a danger as that? No, sir, a thousand times, no; and let me tell you that although I may have antiquated ideas of love and honor, I think you show your wish to love and honor her very poorly indeed by even dreaming—dreaming of subjecting her to even a remote chance of such a misfortune."

Beautiful Jim looked as he felt, more staggered than ever; and, worst of all, he felt that from his point of view the old man was right.

"You are right, sir," he said. "I—knowing my own innocence—forgot that all the world did not know it also. Do you mind telling me one thing—suppose that this mystery is ever cleared up, and Miss Earle is still willing to be my wife, will you give your consent then?"

"Certainly I will," the old man replied.

"And you will not forbid me to see her?" Jim pleaded.

"I will not forbid you, Mr. Beresford. No, on the contrary, I will show you willingly that I trust you as an honorable gentleman, by simply asking you not to attempt to marry her without my permission, and not to compromise her by being seen about with her. If she likes to correspond with you, well and good. If you care to come here now and again, when you are in town, I will not prevent it or forbid it. I dare say, under the circumstances, this is a somewhat unusual way of proceeding; but I have always given my daughter the most absolute trust and she is worthy of it in every way. I believe you to be innocent and I believe you to be honorable, for I see you had not thought of the danger to which such a marriage would expose her—so I will trust you also."

"Mr. Earle," said Jim, holding out his hand, "this has been an awful blow to me—one I never expected. But you have spoken to me fairly and well, and I thank you. You may depend that I will never betray your trust. Miss Earle shall be as safe from any persuasions of mine as if I were a Malay Indian and could not speak a word of English."

"It may all work out smooth enough," the old man said, kindly.

But Jim shook his head. "I have very little hope of it, sir," he answered, sadly. "I have very little hope of it; but I thank you all the same for the consolation."

After a moment of silence Mr. Earle spoke again.

"My daughter must be told," he said, uneasily. "She is so sensible, so clear headed, that I feel sure she will see perfectly the advisability of the objection, or rather stumbling block, which I have been compelled to raise. But it will be a sad blow to her, I fear, poor child, and—well, really, Beresford, on the whole I think the news had better come from you."

"It will be a hard task for me," said Jim.

"I don't doubt it," returned the old man; "but the question is—from which of us will she take it the best? She will see then, even if she does not see it already, that you are convinced of the truth of what I urge; and—yes, I think it had better come from you, Beresford; I do, indeed. I will go out and lunch at my club and leave you a clear field, so that you may tell her and get it over. Yes, that will be the best, I am sure. You see, my dear fellow, I trust to your honor absolutely."

Before Jim could say a word against this plan the old gentleman had shaken his hand again, and had slipped out of the room. So he had no choice but to await the meeting with Nancy and the necessary disclosures which it would entail with the best grace that he could.

Not that he waited very long; he heard the hall door close behind the master of the house, and then, as Nancy did not come, he rang the bell and asked the servant who came in answer to his summons if he would ask Miss Earle to be good enough to see him. And in less than two minutes she came—with her dove's eyes all alight with love and the sweetest and brightest smile upon her lips—the lips that were his and yet not his.

"Well!" she said, gayly, as she crossed the room to his side.

Beautiful Jim took her outstretched hand in his.

"My dearest, I am afraid I have the most sorry news for you," he said, humbly.

"Sorry news?" sharply. "Then, where is my father?"

"He has left me to tell you—gone to his club."

"To tell me—what?"

For a moment Jim could hardly speak.

"To tell you that our engagement is impossible; for the present, at least," he answered, with an effort.

"Father said that? But why? What do you mean, Jim—that he refuses?"

"At present."

"At present—oh! do tell me the worst at once. What do you mean by at present?"

"My dearest, your father is quite right, though it is hard upon us," said Jim, gently. "He does not forget that I have been arrested on a suspicion of murder, and that while the affair remains a mystery, I am not free from further suspicion."

"But he does not believe it, surely," she cried, with blazing eyes and lips tightly compressed.

"No, he does not believe it, thank God," Jim replied quickly.

"But if he does not believe it, why let it affect us?" she exclaimed. "I have never known my father influenced by the opinion of others in all my life, never. And to think that he should begin to be so when the consequences are so serious for me, is too hard—it's too hard!"

"But you don't understand," said Jim, gently. "It is not the opinion of others he is thinking of at all—only, that as I am not cleared yet, the suspicion might at any time rise up against me and overwhelm both of us."

"But you are innocent."

"Innocent men have been hanged before today, my darling, and your father feels it," said he, more full of pity for her than of sorrow for his own broken hopes.

"But, Jim," she cried, eagerly, "did you not tell father that you could prove yourself innocent at any time?"

Beautiful Jim shook his head. "No, I did not tell him that."

"But why?"

"Because he would insist that I should speak."

"Oh! no. I shall tell him. Yes, it is no use trying to persuade me against it. I have made up my mind to do it. It is all very well to be generous and merciful to others; but I ought to be your first thought, and it will be but a poor sort of generosity to secure some one their peace of mind at the cost of breaking my heart."

"But he will certainly deliver that person up to justice," Jim persisted.

"And if he does, does not that person deserve it?" she said, passionately. "Why should the innocent have to suffer for the guilty? Or if some such must so suffer, why should it be you and I? Why not the — No, Jim, I have made up my mind. I will not let you lie under this suspicion a day longer. In fact, I tell you frankly and honestly, that I cannot understand your being so weak about the whole affair."

For a moment Beautiful Jim did not say one word. The little clock on the chimney shelf beside them ticked loudly and cheerily on, and Nancy was resting, tapping her foot upon the fender. Jim felt that he must speak, at least that he must convey to her the necessity for not speaking to her father further than he had already done, yet he hardly knew how to begin.

"Why don't you say something?" she asked at last, puzzled by the expression of his face, and guessing that there was yet something else for her to hear.

"I don't know how to say it," he said, unwillingly.

"But there is something to tell me," she cried. "Oh! Jim, don't spin it out—tell me quickly. Don't stop to pick and choose your words. Do tell me."

"Nancy," he said, thus urged, "you know you are making it horribly hard for me. Oh! my dear, my dear, why can't you, or won't you understand that it is impossible for me to say a word about my power to clear myself to your father, and imperative that you should not do so, either?"

She had not fully grasped his meaning, and yet she realized that there was truth in his words. Her face grew pale, and her lips stiff and strained, as she stood looking straight into his honest eyes, so full of love and sadness.

"What is it?" she whispered.

Jim put his arm around her and held her closely to him.

"Must I speak more plainly?" he asked.

"Yes? Oh! my darling, I am so sorry, so grieved to say it—but he is the one person in the world to whom I could not tell it, except in the face of the most dire danger."

"It—was—not—our—boy?" she whispered, painfully; and for answer Beautiful Jim did not speak, made no gesture, no sign—only he looked at her with an infinite and tender pity shining through the love which filled his eyes.

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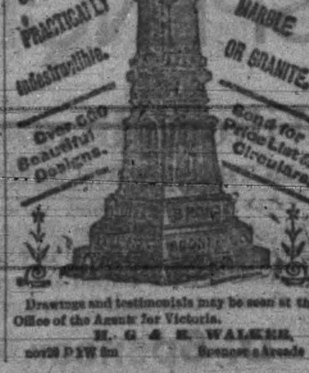

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All claims against the Committee in connection with the laying of the Corner Stone are to be sent in at once to the undersigned,

WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY,
Hon. Secretary.

Victoria, 27th April, 1889.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the line, "City Carpenter $65.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of March, A. D. 1889.

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Victoria, 4th October, 1888. oct5tf

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Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in testifying to the virtues of your medicines. I was paralyzed from the hips down: could not stand on my limbs without support, was induced to try your medicines; in six weeks could walk and was perfectly strong again, after using the medicine two months: it is four months since I stopped the medicine and no sign of the trouble returning.

A. B. OLDERSHAW.

Victoria, B. C., 26th January 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have very great pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was taken down with Rheumatic fever early in the spring which never seemed to entirely leave me, along in the summer my joints became so stiff and I was so crippled with Rheumatism that I could not walk without the help of a cane. I suffered very much pain whenever I attempted to move. I tried your medicine which cured me in a few weeks; I am now able to work and do not hesitate to recommend your medicine to the public, in my opinion there is nothing like them to cure Rheumatism.

WM. TRUESDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan M. D.

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines, I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicines, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.

JAMES KNOX, SS. Islander.

Victoria, September 27th, 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan.

Dear Sir—As I am about to leave the country I think it is my duty to you and the public that I should thank your agent, Mr. DesBrisay, for introducing your medicine to me. I have been very bad for five years with rheumatism and paralysis; I tried everything but got no relief until I tried your medicine, in it I found great relief, so much so that I will take a supply with me, and when out I will send for more. Sir, I remain yours,

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

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For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Frazer River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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J. ROLAND HETT,
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Victoria, January [illegible]

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—High license has been strangled by the Tacoma city council.

—The Sardonyx entered the dry dock at 9 o'clock this morning.

—The yacht Nyanza will sail about the end of the week for Alaska.

—Look at the Argyle House advertisement, their prices are being cut in two. *

—A handsome and substantial truck from Orillia has arrived for Mr. H. C. Fairall.

—Prof. Oliver's masquerade last night was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed.

—The sealing schooner Aurora arrived in the harbor this morning with 361 seal skins.

—The Song Tournament in the Victoria Theatre this evening should be heard by all.

—The North Pacific's cargo yesterday was composed of 700 sheep, 43 hogs and 6 coops of poultry.

—The pupils of Mrs. Dickinson's dancing academy will wind up the season on Friday night with a grand hop.

—Officials connected with the O. R. & N. Co's. service say more live stock has arrived this spring than ever before.

—Professor Menzies has left the city, going up to New Westminster and Vancouver, on his way to the United States.

—Five cords of pine bolts from the mainland arrived yesterday. Each bolt is as free from knots as could be wished for.

—The printing committee for the 24th of May celebration meets in the City Hall this evening. Almost time to get to work.

—A Seattle paper says it is rumored that the O. R. & N. Co. will run an opposition line to to the C. P. N. Co. from Vancouver to Sound ports.

—The stars and stripes floated to the breeze to-day from a number of flagpoles in honor of the centennial. The consulate flag was conspicuous by its absense.

—Geo. Cunningham, of Skeena, writes that he made a fine run to Skeena in the little steamer Muriel which he purchased in this city.

—It is probable that the O. R. & N. steamer T. J. Potter will be brought around from the Sound June 1st and run on the Portland and Seattle route.

—The iron bars are being taken off the old Bank of British Columbia building, corner of Government and Bastion, preparatory to fixing up a first class office for the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

—Much activity was to be seen along the wharves to-day. Steamers taking on supplies for the north, sealers taking on stores, coal being unloaded, and repairs being effected in some cases, gave the docks a lively appearance.

—In the Supreme Court to-day, before Chief Justice Begbie, an Indian named Nunn, for stealing blankets from a warehouse at Alert Bay, received a sentence of two months, under the Speedy Trials act.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

F. P. Loftus, customs inspector on the Olympian, has tendered his resignation.

John F. Church, of Port Angeles, has been appointed inspector of customs on the Olympian.

A letter very recently received from England announces that Dr. I. W. Powell, Supt. of Indian affairs, is very ill.

NEW SEAL FISHERIES.

A Vessel Captain Reports Grounds Near Cape Horn.

Captain Joshua Brown, of Salem, Mass., has received a letter from Capt. R. O. Lavender, of the schooner Henry Dennis, which sailed from Massachusetts last autumn, dated Good Success Bay, Cape Horn, February 2, and which says the Argentine Republic has established light houses on Staten Land and San Diego cape, where shipwrecked seamen can be sheltered. There are plenty of fur seals off Staten Land. A large seal station is on the island, where thousands of seals breed, and which breed earlier than in northern waters. Had the schooner been one month earlier she could have been filled up very quickly.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Telegrams in Brief—Interesting European News.

Information has been received at Paris that Henri Rochefort's son has committed suicide at Bona, Algeria.

September the 22nd has been fixed for the elections for members of the French Chamber of Deputies.

A Zanzibar dispatch says a portion of Captain Wissmann's force, numbering 3,200 men, has arrived at Bagamayo.

It is stated that Corea has refused to grant Russia a coaling station on Deer Island.

The archbishops and bishops attending the Catholic congress sitting at Madrid, twenty-seven in number, visited Queen Regent Christine yesterday. The purpose of their visit was to show her majesty that they were not Carlists.

The Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh have arrived at their London residence, Clarence House. A large number of persons called yesterday to learn the condition of his Royal Highness and express their sympathy. The patient is slowly improving.

The forty-first anniversary of the birth of King Otto, the demented monarch of Bavaria, was celebrated at Munich on Saturday by a popular display of flags and other emblems. Prince Regent Leopold and his ministers attended pontifical mass in honor of the occasion.

The London *Daily News* says that the readiness with which Mr. Bates' statement was accepted by the German chancellor at Saturday's interview is a favorable omen of the successful issue of the Samoan conference. The *Standard* says that the statement of Mr. Bates amply satisfies every demand that could reasonably be made. The English delegates will not raise any difficulties.

The municipal elections which took place at St. Ouen Sur Seine, four miles from Paris, yesterday, were very exciting. The radical candidates were elected, but they came near being beaten, as a large number of votes were cast for Boulanger, Laquerre, De Rovlede and Naquet, although not one of them was a candidate.

Boulanger.

We clip the following account of the alleged true inwardness of Boulanger's hasty departure from France, which the reader can swallow or not as he chooses:

During the night of Monday or Tuesday at the beginning of April the Chief of the Political Service in the office of the Prefect of Police and the Commissioner of Police, with half a dozen assistants, were to enter his hotel and arrest him with the ostensible purpose of conducting him to prison. A body of hired ruffians were to be placed in ambush a short distance from the house, who were to rush upon the police as they passed with their prisoner and make a pretense to rescuing him. In the melee the police were to fire several shots as if in self-defense. The supposed assailants were to return the fire, being armed with pistols for the purpose. In this exchange of bullets, harmless to all others, the General was to have been shot as if by mistake.

Had this failed he was to have been thrown into prison at the Chateau of Vincennes. A court martial was to have been summoned the next day, with Gen de Gallifet, his bitterest personal enemy at the head, he was to have been tried and condemned to death and and the sentenced executed within forty-eight hours.

Such was the report brought to the General. After a hasty consultation with his intimate friends he yielded to their wishes and departed for Brussels.

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Incoming Passengers.

San Francisco, April 30.—Sailed, steamer Mexico for Victoria with the following passengers: C. T. Martin, Mrs. A. Carrier, A. Sunberg, F. L. Anderson, Rev. D. H. Reid.

The First.

The first canned salmon of the pack of '89 arrived here last evening by the steamer R. P. Rithet. It comprised fifty cases of the Be[illegible]r cannery pack, and was consigned to J. H. Todd & Son.

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street. *

The Late Archbishop.

A movement is on foot to raise funds for the purpose of erecting a monument in memory of the late Archbishop Seghers. The deceased prelate was respected by all classes and creeds, and a handsome monument should be erected at an early day.

Marriage Bells Abroad.

In San Francisco, on Monday evening, Mr. Alex. McCandless, of this city, and Miss Ella Gilmour, of the Bay City, were united in marriage. The newly wedded couple will spend their honeymoon in the Golden State ere returning to their home in this city.

In a Nutshell.

Col. Prior, M. P., speaking in the House of Commons last Friday on the question of illegal seizure of British vessels in Behring sea, said he felt certain that even if a little British gunboat put its nose near the Aleutian Islands we would hear of no further seizures.

To Dispel Colds.

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Seizure.

In obiedience to a writ of *fieri facias* issued out of the Supreme Court, in the suit of the Mount Royal M. and M. Co. *vs.* Wah Chung & Co., for $276.95, the Sheriff has seized a quantity of articles belonging to the aforesaid Chinaman, who was lately engaged in business on Fisguard street and will sell the same at auction.

Senatorial Party.

A letter from Senator Dolph says that the Senate committee on relations with Canada, of which Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, is chairman, will leave Chicago May 7 for San Francisco, where they will stay one week, proceeding thence to Victoria, via Portland, Tacoma and Seattle.

Death.

John McGillis, an old pioneer of the province, and well known to every miner, died in St. Joseph's hospital last night from liver complaint. Deceased was a native of the province of Quebec, his parents being Highland Scotch, and was 60 years of age. He leaves a family in Montreal to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 7:30 from St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral.

Death at Westminster.

Thomas Walsh, aged 65 years, died at New Westminster on Saturday last. The deceased arrived in New Westminster thirty years ago and lived continuously in the city during that long period. Deceased was a tailor by trade, and was in business on Columbia street for a number of years. He leaves a wife and three children. The funeral took place on Monday

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening, a full board being present. Ald. Harrison's $45,000 loan by-law was passed and May 14th set for voting by the ratepayers. The National Electric Tramway guarantee by-law was re-committed and finally passed; voting on May 14th, Mr. W. K. Bull returning officer. The contract for the construction of the Johnson street sewer was awarded to Mr. H. McDonald, the lowest tenderer.

Art Notice.

G. W. Bigger will enlarge small pictures of any kind, or the most difficult one you have to work from, and give you a nice portrait handsomely framed and delivered all O. K. Your choice of eight different works, oil included, porcelain, steel engraving and water colors, Indian ink, pastel and crayon that will excel any ever seen in the country. Your portrait sent C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Canada. Send your photos or tintype to 86 Government street, Victoria.

Death in the Water.

A man named Miller was drowned at Seattle last Friday. Deceased was a man about 40 years of age, and was of light complexion—hair and moustache. He was of stout build and rather neatly attired. On the remains, which were afterwards removed to Shorey & Co's establishment at 2:30 a.m., were found a check book on the Bank of Montreal at New Westminster with two stubs, one dated April 13, 1889, and marked Traps, and the other with no date, marked $30 and signed Phillips, a purse, a pair of cuff buttons and a ring of keys.

Blue Bell Co.

At a meeting of the directors and shareholders considerable business was transacted. It was resolved to proceed with the development of the "Nancy" claim, and a shaft will be sunk at once on this claim, in order to demonstrate the value of the property. It is also the company's intention to purchase a crusher, and the quartz will be crushed as it is taken from the claim. The "Nancy" is considered the most promising of the company's various claims, and a satisfactory result is anticipated. The following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year: A. R. Johnston, Jas. Abrams, R. Nightingale, J. Mabrer and Walter Wilson; secretary, J. M. Rudd; auditors, H. V. Rudd and A. Richardson.

Coal Prospectors Return.

The steamer Rustler, says the *Courier*, arrived about 12 o'clock on Sunday night, having been chartered for a prospecting tour to some of the islands in the Gulf by Messrs. S. M. Robins, superintendent of the V. C. Co.'s Colliery, W. McGregor, mine manager of the above company, and L. Rosenfeld, of the firm of Rosenfeld Sons, San Francisco. They stayed the first night (Thursday) at Chemainus, and the next two nights were spent at Plumper's Pass. The party also visited East Point, Salt Spring Island, Valdez Island and various other islands in the Gulf. They expressed themselves as very pleased with their trip and say the indications of coal, especially on Tumbo Island, were most satisfactory.

Hail Columbia.

In response to the invitation given in the papers, a goodly gathering of American citizens met in the Y. M. C. A. parlor this morning at 9:30. One hundred years ago to-day George Washington took the oath of office as President of the new Republic, and from one end of the United States to the other the people have gathered in their respective places of worship to render praise and thanksgiving for God's goodness and mercy which has been over the nation during the past century. Americans in Victoria have added their voices of praise and prayer to those of friends across the line. Appropriate and enthusiastic remarks were made by the Rev. Dr. Reid and by the Rev. Mr. Bugg, and the meeting closed with "My Country 'tis of Thee" to the tune so dear ever to the British as well as American heart.

CHINESE IN THE SCHOOLS.

A Reporter Interviews Members of the School Board.

A week or two ago a brief item appeared in THE TIMES to the effect that two Chinese were attending the public school. Since then it is learned that a third celestial pupil has put in an attendance, and as the question is one of some interest to the public it is thought proper that the attention of the public should be called to the matter. It is admitted that if the Chinese wish to attend the public schools there is no law to forbid them. If the whole Chinese population wished to avail themselves of the privilege that is claimed for them and they were found at the children's desks to-morrow, there would be no legal remedy for it. Such a contingency arising, there is no knowing what would be the consequences. They would be very embarassing to say the least of it, and the attendance of two or three may be but a gentle introduction to a more vigorous programme which is to follow, it will not be untimely to draw attention to the matter. Chinese sympathisers—and there are many of them—claim for them the same privileges as are shown to the other races. They ask why the Chinaman should not have the same consideration as the two other distinct types of the human family which compose a portion of the population of this province. The question is a plausible one, yet, going a little further, we find that we do not admit the right of the Chinese to exercise the franchise, while in the case of the other we accord to them the full rights of citizenship.

There can be little doubt but that a large attendance of these people at the public schools would do serious injury to them. Whether they have a legal right to go there or not many people will not care to send their children to the same institution. And who will blame them? If the province is convinced of its right to educate the Mongolian, let Chinese schools be provided in the same manner as Indian schools are established by the Dominion Government. The fact that the provincial tax is collected from them and that they do not enjoy the benefits of the schools is pointed to as an injustice. People who raise these objections should, on the same ground, demand for them the right to vote. If the payment of a tax justifies their admittance to our educational institutions it will justify the government in extending the franchise to them. The object of THE TIMES, however, is not to discuss the right of the province to educate the Chinese, but merely to draw the attention of the public to their attendance at the school.

A reporter met Col. Wolfenden, secretary of the school board, this morning, and asked him if he was aware that three Chinese were attending the public school.

"I have not heard anything about it," replied the Colonel.

Rep.—Well, two have been attending for a week or two and a third has appeared on the scene.

"Didn't know it."

Rep.—Well, what are you going to do about it?

"What can we do? They pay the tax."

Rep.—Does payment of the school tax, or the provincial revenue tax, give anyone and anything the right to attend our public schools?

"Well, that is a subject for the legislature to deal with at its next session. If we refuse to admit them they will refuse to pay the tax, and the revenue collected from Chinamen under this head amounts to considerable. I do not see that we can do anything as the law now stands."

Rep.—Not even if the whole of Chinatown made a raid on the schools?

"No; but I do not suppose there are many children in Chinatown."

Rep.—People do not care to have their children mixing with Chinese at school, do they?

"Probably not, but there should be no more danger of contamination to the children than at home, where Chinese are employed as servants by their parents."

Rep.—At school the Chinaman meets on the same level, on common ground, with children; while at home he is employed to perform certain duties for the family, and it is not intended that he shall associate with them, as an equal. Don't you think there is something in that?

"Undoubtedly."

A reporter called on Mr. Hayward, Chairman of the School Board, this afternoon, and asked him if he had heard of the Chinese invasion.

"Yes, I heard of it this morning from Mr. Wolfenden," replied Mr. Hayward. "But do you know for a fact that they are attending?" enquired the Chairman of the Board.

The reporter replied that he had the very best authority for stating that they were.

Mr. Hayward—"I saw an item in THE TIMES a short time ago, but the Board has received no official notification of it.

Reporter—"What do you think of the case?"

"I think the presence of the Chinese will have the effect of injuring the schools. Many of the best families, people who could afford to educate their children elsewhere, send them there. Not likely they will care to have Chinese among their children."

Rep—What are you going to do about it?

"What can we do? I do not think the government would like to take the responsibility of passing an order-in-council excluding Chinese from the schools, as they might get hauled over the coals for exceeding their authority. The attention of the Minister of Education, however, should be officially drawn to the matter."

Rep—By the school board?

"Yes, we could ask for authority to exclude them. I agree with you, that the subject is a proper one to draw the attention of the public, and something will, no doubt, have to be done about it.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.]

Mamie Bennett and Hattie Emerson were charged with being inmates of a house of ill-fame.

J. P. Walls appeared for the defense and stated that on a charge of stealing a diamond ring the women were locked up all night, and if the police intended to charge them with another offense the charge of stealing should be withdrawn.

Supt. Sheppard said he did not intend to press the charge of stealing.

Mr. Walls asked for a remand until to-morrow. He considered that the women should be summoned to appear to-morrow.

Supt. Sheppard—We will be willing to remand the case provided the women furnish substantial bail. These women come to this country and when they are in trouble they want to leave the country.

The magistrate decided that a summons should be issued. The women were allowed to leave the court.

Geo. Drabaw contributed $5 to the revenue of the country for creating a disturbance.

George Connolly, a Nanaimoite, was charged with using insulting language on the streets. Fined $5.

Peter Sawyer appeared in the dock on a charge of resisting Officer Taylor in the discharge of his duty.

His Honor—That boy was here before.

Supt. Sheppard—Yes, Your Honor, he has been here on several occasions. A man was creating a disturbance, and Officer Mitten was arresting him, when Sawyer interfered. Special Officer Taylor attempted to arrest Sawyer when he fought and bit the officer. He succeeded in breaking away, and was discovered in the Johnson street sewer.

Prisoner pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to imprisonment for six months.

Able Johns was charged with being drunk and disorderly. Supt. Sheppard asked for a remand to prefer a charge of cutting an Indian woman. Prisoner was remanded.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

D. H. CAMERON'S LETTER.

D. H. Cameron, the wrestler, under date of April 24th, writes the following interesting letter from San Francisco to Mr. Thos. Deasy:

DEAR SIR—I arrived in this city all O. K., but so far have been unable to get on any match. Sporting matters are very quiet here at present, prize fighting having full sway. The coming fight between Peter Jackson and Cardiff is the chief topic of conversation in sporting circles at present. Great preparations are being made for the six-days go-as-you-please race which opens in the Mechanic's Pavilion on the 9th of May. Albert, the ex-champion of the world, with a record of 621 miles, arrived in the city from the east on Monday last, and is training hard every day. He expects to make 700 miles in the coming race. Albert, Howarth, Moore, Hart and McIntyre are the favorites in the pools, in the order named. D. S. McLeod, of Nanaimo, succeeded in winning first prize and the heavy weight championship of the Pacific Coast at the Olympic Club tournament for catch-as-catch-can wrestling. He also holds the Pacific coast record for hammer throwing, having beaten the best previous record by over six feet. Thos. Watson, another Victoria boy, is also in the city trying to get on a mile race with some of the crack runners who are at present here, but so far has been unable to do so. He had a match arranged with McIntire, the champion of the Coast, for $250 a side, but the 'Frisco runner and his backer have decided to pay forfeit. All the crack flyers are evidently afraid of the Victorian's powers as a mile runner. He is open to run any of them (bar none) for $1000 a side. I intend returning to British Columbia early in May, and will endeavor to get on matches with some of the champion wrestlers and weight throwers of the east.

WRESTLING.

In the rooms of the Olympic Club, San Francisco, last week, D. S. McLeod, of Nanaimo, 168 pounds, and W. J. Kenealey, 167 pounds, wrestled for the premiership of the heavyweight division. Two finer specimens of muscular manhood it would be hard to find, McLeod, the new man, being a perfect Hercules. The men did not waste much time in maneuvering. They went together like a pair of young Clydesdales, and McLeod cross-buttocked Kenealy, bringing him down, but failing to secure a fall. As soon as they regained their feet Kenealey secured a full neck hold and McLeod a back hold. They swayed for a moment, when McLeod's superior strength enabled him to draw Kenealey toward him and throw him fairly and squarely in 2m. 10s. After ten minutes' rest they resumed wrestling. McLeod tried the cross buttock again, but did not land Kenealey. Mac then put on a neck hold and rolled his opponent over in 2m. 15s.

BASEBALL.

Next Saturday the Maple Leaf and Mayflower clubs will play at Beacon Hill.

Henry Labouchere, editor of London *Truth*, does not believe that a ball can be curved in a throw of forty feet.

O'CONNOR.

Champion oarsman O'Connor arrived in Seattle last Friday evening and was entertained in the evening by the Rainier Club. He is described as a tall, muscular man of 24 years of age, with a complexion which is known as "water tanned."

THE WHEEL.

A private letter received from Tacoma says the Tacoma Bicycle Club have been talking up a trip to Victoria, to join in the sports on the Queen's Birthday and see the Englishman's Fourth of July. Of course, says the writer, we want to take our wheels with us.

JOHNSON'S PROPOSITION.

E. W. Johnson, the champion all-round athlete of the world, has made the following proposition to the 24th May celebration committee: He will undertake to give one of the finest athletic exhibitions ever witnessed in the city for the sum of $100, said exhibition to consist of jumping, running, tossing the caber, putting the shot, etc., etc., to take place on the 25th May if the committee will arrange it for that date. Johnson's record as an athlete is of the very highest, he having in his possession some sixty-one gold and silver medals, one of which is for the championship of the world in general athletic sports, given by the citizens of Philadelphia at the Centennial Exposition. An exhibition of this kind would no doubt have the effect of promoting athletics throughout the province, and it is hoped the committee will be able to make some arrangement to have it take place.

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Naval Notes.

Admiral Heneage continues to improve daily, but still he is not just himself yet.

Visitors are cordially welcomed aboard the Swiftsure and may rely on being shown through the vessel by obliging hands.

H. M. S. Amphion is expected here May 12th. She carries over 300 men.

H. M. S. Espiegle sailed for the south at 5 o'clock Monday evening. As she started on her long voyage, the usual graceful salute of doffing caps was exchanged between the crews.

Gunnery practice commenced yesterday and will continue while the Swiftsure remains here. A splendid rifle range near Belmont is shot over.

It is understood that the Amphion is the finest cruiser ever visiting this station. Under forced draught the vessel can obtain a speed of 19 knots. With very little coal a speed of ten knots can be made.

Ex-Mayor Hewitt and the Irish Flag.

Ex-Mayor Abram Hewitt, of New York, is the guest of the liberal unionist club in London. He will be entertained at a banquet by Earl Derby on May 7th. The forthcoming banquet was engineered by the Irish Loyal Patriotic Union. In sending advance notices of the banquet to the press, the promoters of the entertainment make especial reference to the refusal of Mr. Hewitt to permit the Irish flag to fly from the city hall, but are not strictly accurate in detail, since they credit the then Mayor of New York with having indignantly refused to have the "Fenian flag" displayed over the principal public building.

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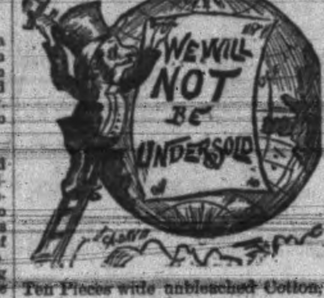
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